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This application is a continuation in part of co-pending U.S. Patent application No. 09/696,558 filed [November] October 25, 2000 titled “Autonomous local assistant for managing business processes” which is also hereby incorporated by reference. This application also claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional application No. 60/271,170 filed February 23, 2001 titled “Method and system for modifying and transmitting data between a portable computer and a network” by Jussi Ketonen and Carolyn Talcott.